

**City Council  
Economic Development Committee**

Thursday, April 25, 2019 at 12:00PM  
Room CH-14

Committee Members: James Mitchell, Chair  
Ed Driggs, Vice Chair  
Julie Eiselt  
Justin Harlow  
Matt Newton

Staff Resource: Tracy Dodson, City Manager's Office

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**AGENDA**

**I. Update on Small Business Month - 15 minutes**

*Staff: Jerrienne Jackson, Economic Development*

Action: May is Small Business Month in Charlotte. Staff will provide an update on the 2019 Small Business Month Contest and events planned by CharlotteBusinessResources.com partners.

**II. Innovate Charlotte (InCLT) – 40 minutes**

*Staff: Holly Eskridge, Economic Development*

*Guest: Keith Luedeman, Interim Executive Director, Innovate Charlotte*

Action: Keith Luedeman, Interim Executive Director, will provide an update on Innovate Charlotte's entrepreneurial initiatives and activities.

**III. City of Charlotte Organization Small Business Resources – 30 minutes**

*Staff: Christi Floyd, Economic Development*

Action: Staff will provide information on the City of Charlotte's small business programs.

**IV. Discuss Next Meeting: May 16<sup>th</sup> or May 23<sup>rd</sup> – 5 minutes**